UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CRIMINAL NO. 04-10112-RGS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

JUSTIN TEAL

KARL THOMPSON

ABLOLOM WOLDESLASSIE a/k/a Breeze

FINAL STATUS REPORT

May 4, 2005

BOWLER, U.S.M.J.

The following status of the above-entitled case is hereby reported to the district judge to whom this case is assigned, to wit:

- 1. The Superseding Indictment in the above-entitled case, which charges the defendants with the distribution of cocaine base, distribution of cocaine base in a playground zone, aiding and abetting and use of a juvenile in a drug offense, was returned on October 28, 2004;
- 2. Defendants Justin Teal, Karl Thompson and Ablolom Woldeslassie were arraigned on the Superseding Indictment on November 23, 2004;
 - 3. The defendants are in custody on the charges;

4. At the arraignment, the attorney for the government estimated that the government would call approximately eight to ten witnesses and that the trial would last approximately two weeks;

5. Counsel for defendant Teal has indicated that the case will be resolved by way of a plea of guilty. Counsel for defendant Woldeslassie has filed a motion to suppress and counsel for defendant Thompson has indicated that he may join in that motion;

6. As of the date of this Final Status Report, time has been excluded through May 4,2005;

7. This case is hereby returned to the district judge to whom it is assigned.

/s/ Marianne B. Bowler

MARIANNE B. BOWLER
United States Magistrate Judge